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TITLE: INSULIN INJECTORS WITHOUT A NEEDLE

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RELATED AUTHORITY: 32 CFR 199.4(d)(3)(ii)

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I. EFFECTIVE DATE

December 29, 1982

II. PROCEDURE CODE(S)

HCPCS Level II Code A4210

III. POLICY

Insulin injectors without a needle are covered provided medical documentation is submitted with the claim showing the medical need for the injector versus the ordinary syringe and needle. For example, the patient can no longer find an appropriate site for the injection.

IV. POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

All claims for the device will receive medical review prior to payment.

END OF POLICY